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Wharton, James O.	Waverley.
Willsey, Henry J.	Gallaudet.
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Henselman, Edwin C.	Angola.
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Burdick, Lee	Indianapolis.
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Boyle, Charles E. . . . .	Indianapolis.
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Brown, Coroden S. . . . .	Gallaudet.
Cunningham, Joseph W. . . . .	Gallaudet.
Davis, Millard F. . . . .	Indianapolis.
Davis, John W. . . . .	Indianapolis.
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Ferguson, Robert A.	Greenwood.
Fisher, John W.	Indianapolis.
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Henselman, Sheldon F.	Marlboro, Ohio.
Higgins, Willis G.	New Brunswick.
Hodgen, Josiah	Frankfort.
Hoss, Lora C.	Indianapolis.
Hubbard, Oliver P. M.	Indianapolis.
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McLaughlin, Charles E.	Indianapolis.
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Pumphrey, Josie.	Indianapolis.
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Roberts, James S.	Indianapolis.
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Shearer, William M.	Indianapolis.
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Speer, Minnie. . . . .	Indianapolis
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## SUMMARY OF STUDENTS.

### *College of Literature.*

Seniors, . . . . .	1
Juniors. . . . .	6
Sophomores, . . . . .	3
Freshmen, . . . . .	11
Second Preparatory, . . . . .	18

### *College of Science.*

Seniors, . . . . .	2
Juniors, . . . . .	1
Freshmen, . . . . .	15
Second Preparatory, . . . . .	21

*College of the Bible,* . . . . . 22

*College of Law,* . . . . . 15

First Preparatory—Classical and Scientific, . . . . . 74

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Total, . . . . . 250

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74  
116

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2. To obtain the Treasurer's signature by paying all necessary fees for at least one term.

3. To pass the necessary preliminary examination, and obtain the signature of the Professor, whose classes he enters.

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## COURSE OF STUDY.

### CLASSICAL.

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##### FIRST TERM.

1. *Latin*—Grammar.
2. *English*—Analysis of Sentences.
3. *History*—Ancient.
4. *Geography*—Physical.

##### SECOND TERM.

1. *Latin*—Grammar and Reader.
2. *English*—Analysis and Synonyms.
3. *History*—Medieval.
4. *Uranography*.

##### THIRD TERM.

1. *Latin*—Grammar and Reader.
2. *English*—Hart's Rhetoric.
3. *History*—Modern.
4. *Geography*—Ancient, with lectures on Greek and Roman Mythology.

#### Second Preparatory Year.

##### FIRST TERM.

1. *Latin*—Cæsar's Comm. and Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Grammar and Exercise Book.
3. *Mathematics*—Algebra to Quadratics.
4. *English*—Hart's Rhetoric.



SECOND TERM.

1. *Latin*—Cæsar's Commentaries and Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Grammar and Exercise Book.
3. *Mathematics*—Algebra to Binomial Theorem.
4. *English*—Hart's Rhetoric.

THIRD TERM.

1. *Latin*—Virgil's *Æneid*; Prosody; Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Grammar and Exercise Book.
3. *Mathematics*—Algebra Completed.
4. *English*—Lessons.

Freshman Year.

FIRST TERM.

1. *Latin*—Cicero's Orations; Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Xenophon's *Anabasis*; Syntax; Prose Composition.
3. *Mathematics*—Geometry begun.
4. *English*—Literature, Essays, &c.
5. *Bible*—Pentateuch begun.

SECOND TERM.

1. *Latin*—Virgil's *Eclogues* and *Georgics*; Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Xenophon's *Anabasis*; Syntax; Prose Composition.
3. *Mathematics*—Geometry finished.
4. *English*—Literature and Essays.
5. *Bible*—Pentateuch completed.

THIRD TERM.

1. *Latin*—Livy; Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Xenophon's *Anabasis*; Syntax; Prose Composition.
3. *Mathematics*—Trigonometry, Plane and Spherical.
4. *English*—Literature, Essays, &c.
5. *Bible*—Hebrew History, Prophecy and Poetry.



## Sophomore Year.

## FIRST TERM.

1. *Latin*—Livy; Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Homer; Boise's Prose Composition begun.
3. *Mathematics*—Surveying and Navigation and General Geometry begun.
4. *English*—Essays on Historical Subjects.
5. *Bible*—Gospels.

## SECOND TERM.

1. *Latin*—Horace's Odes and Epodes; Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Herodotus; Prose Composition.
3. *Mathematics*—General Geometry and Calculus.
4. *Natural Science*—Physiology.
5. *Bible*—Acts of Apostles.

## THIRD TERM.

1. *Latin*—Tacitus; Prose Composition.
2. *Greek*—Thucydides; Prose Composition.
3. *Mathematics*—General Geometry and Calculus.
4. *Natural Science*—Botany.
5. *Bible*—Epistles.

## Junior Year.

## FIRST TERM.

1. *Latin*—Cicero de Senectute; Gymnasium.
2. *Greek*—Xenophon's Memorabilia; Plato's Phædo—selections, and one Oration of Demosthenes.
3. *Mathematics*—Mechanics, Silliman.
4. *Natural History*—Zoology.
5. *Natural Science*—Inorganic Chemistry.

## SECOND TERM.

1. *Latin*—Cicero's Tusculan Disputations.
2. *Greek*—Olynthiacs of Demosthenes; Plato's Apology and Crito.



3. *Mathematics*—Silliman's Physics.
4. *Natural History*—Zoology.
5. *Natural Science*—Organic Chemistry.

THIRD TERM.

1. *Latin*—Horace's Satires and Epistles.
2. *Greek*—Œdipus Tyrannus of Sophocles.
3. *Mathematics*—Silliman's Physics completed.
4. *Natural Science*—Analyt. Chemistry.
5. *English*—Classics.

Senior Year.

FIRST TERM.

1. *Mathematics*—Astronomy.
2. *Philosophy*—Mental—Lectures.
3. *Natural History*—Geology.
4. *English*—Bain's Rhetoric.
5. *General Literature*—(Once a week.)

SECOND TERM.

1. *Philosophy*—Moral.
2. *Natural History*—Geology.
3. *English*—Literature.
4. *Logic*—Begun.
5. *General Literature*—(Once a week.)

THIRD TERM.

1. *English*—Literature.
2. *Logic*—Completed.
3. *Political Economy* alternate with Constitution of United States.
4. *Christian Evidences*—Lectures.
5. *General Literature*—(Once a week.)

NOTE. — When a term contains more than four studies, alternations will be allowed.



SCIENTIFIC.

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This course embraces precisely the Classical Course, except that it substitutes two years of German and two years of French for the four years of Greek. A third year in German is added for the benefit of those who wish to perfect themselves in the speaking of this noble tongue.

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SELECTION OF STUDIES.

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The regular Classical Course is earnestly recommended by the Faculty and Directors, as that which experience and practice show to be the best adapted to the harmonious development and training of all the intellectual powers.

Students will be permitted, however, to choose between this and the Scientific Course; and then they will be required to take the regular studies of that year for which they are prepared. *In no case will a student be permitted to be irregular in his classification, except by presenting satisfactory reasons to the Faculty in session, and obtaining their permission.*



## DEPARTMENTS OF STUDY.

The Charter of this Institution authorizes its Board of Directors to organize Colleges for Literature and Science, Law, Medicine, and a Normal School.

The following Departments exhibit the course of study required for Graduation in the College of Literature and Science. Additional Departments will be organized as the exigencies of the Institution may demand.

The plan of Study in the Classical and Scientific Course is more fully explained under the following divisions:

### I. BIBLE.

O. A. BURGESS, PROFESSOR.

In this the Bible is studied as a text book, and, while no sectarian dogmas are taught, its history, geography, antiquities, its laws, dispensations, prophecies, moral and religious truths, etc., will be the object of careful attention. This book will be treated as the grand source of our knowledge of moral and religious truth, of the will of God, of man's origin, duty and destiny, and, as such, of the highest interest, and deserving the most careful study.

#### FRESHMAN.

First Term	. Pentateuch Commenced	. . . . . (English.)
Second Term	. Pentateuch Finished	. . . . . (English.)
Third Term	. Jewish Kingdom	. . . . . (English.)

#### SOPHOMORE.

First Term	. . Gospels	. . . . . (English.)
Second Term	. Acts of Apostles	. . . . . (English.)
Third Term	. Epistles	. . . . . (English.)







## II. MATHEMATICAL.

W. M. THRASHER. PROFESSOR.

The studies in this department are:

Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry (Plane and Spherical), Mensuration, Surveying, Navigation, Mechanics, Optics, Conic Sections, and Analytical Geometry, Calculus and Astronomy.

For the Undergraduate Course the text books in Astronomy will be Norton's; in Surveying and Navigation, Loomis'; in Mechanics and Optics, Silliman's; and in the other branches, Olney's.

Candidates for a higher degree, or who make Mathematics a specialty, are recommended to study such of the following as may suit the purpose had in view: Salmon's Conic Sections and Analytical Geometry, of three dimensions; Courtenay's Calculus, with his Calculus of Variations; Bartlet's Mechanics, analytic and synthetic; in Astronomy, practical, Loomis, or Chauvenet's, and for theoretical, Watson's; in theoretical Engineering the works of Rankine or Wiesbach. Within one or two years we expect to organize a school of Civil Engineering, and at an early period one of Theoretical and Practical Astronomy, with an Observatory fully equipped.

We hope soon to be able, with a Faculty reorganized and enlarged, to attend to the wants of those who make Mathematics a specialty.

## III. NATURAL HISTORY.

D. S. JORDAN, PROFESSOR.

This department will embrace Physiology, Botany, Zoology, and Geology, and will present the studies in this order. The instruction will be given according to the most approved modern methods; the training being given through the medium of lectures and laboratory work, instead of by text books. Books will be used for reference, and the things themselves, so far as possible, which form the subjects of the text books in these branches, will be made the direct object of study. The Board have determined, by generous appropriations of money, to furnish the aid necessary for illustration and investigation through an enlarged Cabinet and the necessary apparatus.



#### IV. GENERAL AND PRACTICAL CHEMISTRY.

F. W. ACHILLES, PROFESSOR.

The department of Chemistry will be under the charge of Prof. Achilles, and the instruction will be given by lectures and laboratory work, using a text book for reference.

General Chemistry will be thus taught during the first and second terms (embracing, first, the inorganic, and second, the organic), and Practical Chemistry during the third term.

During the first two terms two or three hours of laboratory work will be given weekly, additional to the daily work in the class room.

During the last term of the year the whole time will be devoted to laboratory work and the necessary preliminary instruction in Analytical Chemistry.

The apparatus necessary for analysis, quantitative and qualitative, will receive the necessary additions.

#### V. LATIN.

SCOT BUTLER, PROFESSOR.

The studies in this department are :

##### Preparatory.

Latin Method, Gildersleeve's Latin Grammar, Reader and Exercise Book, Ovid, Cæsar, Virgil, Cicero's Orations, Prose Composition.

##### College Course.

Livy, Virgil, Tacitus, Horace, Cicero, De Senectute and De Amicitia, Prose Composition.

The Extra Latin Course, which has heretofore been found in the Junior and Senior years, and was designed to afford students an opportunity of pursuing a more thorough and extended Latin study, has been placed in the Post-Graduate Course.

It will be the aim of this department to have the student thoroughly drilled in the principles of Latin Syntax rather than to have read, without critical analysis, a great number of authors.



The following books of reference are especially recommended to students of Latin: Harkness' Latin Grammar, Zumpt's Latin Grammar, Allen and Greenough's, Andrews and Stoddard's Latin Grammar, Andrews' Latin Lexicon, Momsen's Roman History, Merivale's Roman History, Milman's Gibbon's Roman History, Smith's Dictionary of Antiquities, Finlay's or Long's Ancient Atlas, Bullfinch's Age of Fable, Keightly's Mythology, Forsyth's Life of Cicero.

## VI. GREEK LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

J. O. HOPKINS, PROFESSOR.

### Preparatory Course.

It requires two years to complete the studies requisite to admission into the Freshman Class.

*First Year.*—Hadley's Greek Grammar to Syntax, with the whole of Boise's First Lessons in Greek, the English Exercises to be written in Greek, with the accents.

*Second Year.*—Xenophon's Anabasis during the entire year, together with Syntax in Hadley's Greek Grammar, and the whole of Jones's Greek Prose Composition.

### College Course.

After the above preparation, the study of the Language, Literature and History of Greece is continued through the entire Freshman year and part of the Sophomore and Junior.

*Freshman.*—During this year are read an oration of Demosthenes and selections from Xenophon's Memorabilia, Plato's Phædo, Homer's Odyssey and Herodotus. There is also a daily lesson in Boise's Exercises in Greek Syntax, besides the study of Greece from the beginning to the close of the Persian wars.

*Sophomore.*—During this year Thucydides is read one term and Plato one term. Boise's Exercises and the History of Greece are completed.

*Junior.*—This includes one term in Homer's Iliad and a review of the Greek Grammar, and one term in reading a Greek tragedy and studying the history of the ancient drama.



Students are required to investigate and explain all allusions to History, Geography and Mythology. For this purpose a good History of Greece, Classical Atlas and Classical Dictionary are indispensable. The following books of reference are recommended: Long's Classical Atlas, Anthon's or Smith's Classical Dictionary, Grote's or Curtius' History of Greece, Smith's Dictionary of Greek and Roman Antiquities, and Liddell and Scott's Greek-English Lexicon.

For the course of study, see Curriculum.

## VII. ENGLISH LITERATURE.

CATHARINE MERRILL, PROFESSOR.

This department embraces Literature (English and General), Rhetoric and Composition, Æsthetics, etc.

Theses will frequently be required of the classes in Æsthetics and Literature, containing critical compendiums of the matters treated in the text books. The principles of Criticism and English Composition will be thoroughly familiarized by daily exercises in Composition during the study of Rhetoric and English Literature.

The following books will be found valuable for reference: Literature—Dwight's Philology, Muller's Science of Language, Sismondi's Literature of the South of Europe, Dunlop's History of Fiction, Schlegel's and Hazlitt's Treatises on Literature, Kuyser's Literature of the Northmen, the works of Marsh, Lewes and Hall. Æsthetics—Taine's and Ruskin's works, and Cousins' True, Beautiful and Good.

## VIII. MODERN LANGUAGES.

F. W. ACHILLES, PROFESSOR.

The Board are glad to announce the employment of F. W. Achilles, educated in Brunswick, Germany, and for eleven years a resident of Paris and Marseilles, France, as the Instructor in French and German.

The course of instruction will embrace two years in each of the languages, with an additional year in each to students wishing special training.



Two hours per day will be given, on alternate days, to each language, and the training will aim (1) to impart the ability to converse, observing the niceties of pronunciation and idiom; (2) to give, as far as possible, an acquaintance with the literature, contemporary and classic, of each language.

With reference to the first object the classes in German will receive drill in Keetel's German Method; those in French in Fasquelle's French Course—the members of the classes being required, partially, at first, and afterward entirely, to carry on the recitation in the tongue they are studying.

It will be held as a fundamental principle that the best way in which to learn to speak a living language, is constantly speaking it.

Keetel's Method in German will be supplemented by Comfort's Grammar and a course of reading in the best German literature.

Fasquelle will be followed by readings from the cotemporary and classic French drama.

The class-room intercourse between the teacher and his classes, as before said, will be conducted in the language studied. As intimated elsewhere, the two years of French and two years of German are substituted for the four years of Greek in the Classical Course.

NOTE.—The German and French take the place of the Greek, both in the curriculum and daily recitations; the former instead of the first two and the latter of the last two years of the Greek. The third year of German is for those who wish to perfect themselves in speaking the language, and is optional.

## IX. COMMERCIAL.

C. E. HOLLENBECK, PROFESSOR.

The studies of the department are Arithmetic, English Grammar and Book-keeping.

The Arithmetic and English Grammar classes are intended for students finishing those branches, and will be continued through the year.



Book-keeping, single and double entry, is taught thoroughly by an experienced practical accountant. The method at beginning is to analyze simple transactions, determine the exact relations to the business of the persons, property and causes involved, then to devise the best method to so record these relations as to show results.

After a thorough elementary drill, the student proceeds to open, write up, and close about twenty-five sets of books, illustrating the following kinds of business: Single Proprietor, Partnership, Joint Stock Company, Retail and Wholesale Merchandising, Jobbing, Farming, Commission, Administration, Forwarding, Brokerage, Contracting, and Banking; also, methods of changing books from single to double entry, and *vice versa*, and from single proprietor to partnership books, and *vice versa*.

The student acquires a considerable knowledge of each kind of business, and he makes and uses Notes, Drafts, Receipts, Orders, Checks, Certificates, Bills, Accounts Current, Accounts Sales, Invoices, Bills of Lading, etc.

Principles and Practice of Business receive careful explanation, and are illustrated and rendered familiar by mimic transactions, involving all the steps and forms of real business.

Commercial Law, in practical easy lectures on Common Contract, Partnership, Agency, Negotiable Paper, and Common Carrier, calculated to give an available knowledge of these important subjects.

Business Computations, involving special training in the ready application of the principles and methods of arithmetic to business transactions.

Business Correspondence, Papers and Forms are taught and practiced until readiness and precision are secured.

An extra fee charged for instruction in Book-keeping.



## POST GRADUATE.

### COURSE OF STUDY FOR DEGREE OF A. M. & M. S.

*English Language.*—Origin and Growth; Criticism of Language; Theory of Taste; Political Economy; History and Influence of Logic; Constitutional History of United States of America and England.

*Latin Language.*—Latin Literature; Cicero's Epistolary Writings; Roman Satirists; Patristic and Later Latin.

*Greek Language.*—Literature; Philosophic and Dramatic Writers.

*Hebrew Language.*—Poetry and Prophecy of Old Testament.

*French Language.*—General Literature.

*German Language.*—General Literature.

*Natural Science.*—Physics; Analytical Mechanics; Theory of Light and Sound; Zoology; Comparative Anatomy of Vertebrata; Paleontology; Paleozoic Rocks; Chemistry and Mineralogy as applied to Arts and Sciences.

*Mathematics.*—Astronomy; Analytical Mechanics; Perturbation of Planets and Comets; Differential and Integral Calculus and Calculus of Variations; Differential Equations and Analytical Geometry of three dimensions; Civil and Mining Engineering.

*Application.*—Students who continue in the University one year immediately after graduation, may, on completion of the English Course and any two others of the above courses and examination thereon, receive the Degree of A. M. or M. S., if the application be accompanied by an acceptable Thesis in English on a subject germane to some part of the course of study.

*Other Students.*—Any graduate of the University who may be a member of one of the learned professions or a student of the fine arts, may apply for either of the above degrees after having been five years a graduate of good standing, on examination in English Course, with Thesis as above prescribed, and payment of ten dollars at the time of making application.



## EDUCATIONAL AUXILIARIES.

### I. LECTURES.

(a) Week day lectures will be delivered in elucidation of subjects suggested by the text books. For their particular description, see Departments.

(b) Lord's day lectures will be delivered weekly, during the first and third terms of each session, by a member of the Faculty, (or an acceptable substitute) on topics connected with the Christian Religion, or related to human conduct. Every student is required to attend the lecture and one other religious service each Lord's Day.

### II. RHETORICAL EXERCISES.

Practical Composition is taught by Miss Merrill to the close of the Freshman year, and an Essay and Declamation will be required of all students during the other years, who are not members of one of the Literary Societies.

### III. LITERARY SOCIETIES.

Four Literary Societies are now organized and in successful operation at the University. These are the Mathesian, Philokurian, and Pythonian, composed of young gentlemen, and the Athenian, of young ladies.

All these societies are, by the by-laws of the University, placed under the supervision of the Faculty.

The Athenian receives the care and attention of Miss Merrill.

These societies, properly conducted, are very important agencies in the social and literary culture of the students of the Institution. Well selected Libraries, accessible to the members of the societies, give important additional means of culture. Contributions to them will be thankfully received.



#### IV. COLLEGE CABINETS.

The Cabinets given to the Institution, by Van Tuyl of Ohio, and purchased of W. D. Frazee, of Santa Barbara, California, afford a very complete illustration of the rocks and fossils of the different geological eras.

There is a fair collection of shells, fossil and recent, and a very considerable number of specimens illustrative of Ethnology.

It is hoped that the friends of the Institution will, whenever opportunity offers, forward specimens illustrative of any of the departments of Natural Science. Our friends traveling in different parts of the earth will please note this, and in seeking pleasure not forget the interests of science.

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### ORDER.

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#### I. IN CHAPEL.

Each student, at the beginning of each term, will be assigned to a seat in the Chapel, which he will be expected to keep for the term. Perfect decorum, and entire abstinence from whispering, reading, and all overt demonstrations of approval or disapproval, will be required. Students will stand during singing and prayer.

#### II. CLASS ROOM.

Entire abstinence from intercommunication, and perfect quiet and attention to the recitation are here required.

#### III. COLLEGE BUILDING.

No student will be allowed to remain in the halls during recitation hours. At the ringing of each successive bell, the classes will be dismissed, and will proceed without delay to the room of the next recitation. Students not reciting will, unless expressly permitted to study elsewhere, be seated in one of the



recitation rooms assigned for the purpose. Generally, they will be required to remain in the room where they recited last, until their next recitation.

#### IV. COLLEGE GROUNDS.

Students are not permitted to remain on the Campus, even for study, during recitation hours; and any loitering or playing in the Campus within that time will be considered highly disorderly.

#### V. GENERAL BEHAVIOR.

Courteous and respectful deportment from students to each other, and to the officers and Faculty of the Institution, a careful observance of by-laws as to character and conduct, will be a necessary condition of a continued connection with the University.

During recitation hours, the young ladies will be under the immediate care and control of the Lady Professor; and during that time will meet the other sex *only* in the room where they recite. The same strict propriety will be required in the intercourse of the sexes everywhere, and at all times during their connection with the Institution. It is believed that, with only the restrictions demanded by propriety, the association of the sexes in the collegiate career will greatly promote the social, moral, and intellectual culture of each.

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### COLLEGE EXAMINATIONS.

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#### I. PRELIMINARY.

1. Every candidate for admission to the University for the first time, not having a satisfactory certificate, will be examined in the elements of Arithmetic and English Grammar before receiving the President's permit.

2. Every candidate for advanced standing not having a sat-



isfactory certificate, will, before class enrollment, be examined upon the branches which precede those of the class he proposes to enter.

## II. DAILY CLASS.

The daily examinations of lessons will be conducted according to the best judgment of the Professor in charge. Careful attention will be given in all cases to secure the use of correct words and sentences. The prime objects of the recitation will be to test the student's preparation, and to develop his logical ability and capacity for expression. To impart information will be secondary, and will be employed only to clear difficulties, amplify the subject, and promote the interest of the recitation.

## III. TERM.

At the close of each term all the classes will be examined on the branches pursued during the term. These examinations will be entirely written, or partly written and partly oral, as the Faculty may determine. They will always be open for the attendance of visitors. The aim, however, will not be to make them a source of entertainment to visitors, but a rigid test of the student's knowledge.

The result obtained by adding the value of this examination to twice the average class standing, and dividing the sum by three, will constitute the student's proficiency, which, to entitle him to promotion, must not be less than 70, on a scale in which 100 denotes perfect, and 0 an entire failure.

## IV. SENIOR.

The members of the Senior Class shall sustain an examination in the following branches: Practical Arithmetic, Descriptive Geography, English Grammar, United States History and Orthography.

The Senior Class will be examined on the studies of the Senior Year, during or previous to the first week in June.



## COLLEGE RECORDS.

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### I. MATRICULATION.

In the Matriculation book of the University each student will record his name and age, and the name and postoffice address of his parent or guardian.

### II. CHAPEL.

The College Roll will be called every morning, and each Monday morning students will report their absences, if any, from church and lecture.

If they fail to have their absences excused for more than one week, they will be suspended from all recitations until they obtain a written excuse for such absences. Generally, only sickness will be regarded as a valid excuse; and five unexcused absences will dismiss a student from the Institution.

### III. DAILY.

In a Class Book, kept by each Professor, will be entered daily a record of the proficiency, deportment and attendance of each member of the class, from which his class standing will be determined.

### IV. TERM.

From his class standing and the result of his examinations at the close of each term, his final standing will be determined, which will be recorded on the University Record for future reference.

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## COLLEGE REPORTS.

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During the last week of each term a report of the deportment, attendance, and proficiency of each student will be prepared and sent to the parent or guardian.



## DEGREES.

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### I. BACHELOR OF SCIENCE.

This degree will be conferred on students who have satisfactorily completed the studies embraced in the Scientific Course of the College of Literature.

### II. BACHELOR OF ARTS.

In the same College will be conferred the degree of Bachelor of Arts upon completion of the Classical Course.

### III. MASTER OF ARTS.

This degree will be conferred upon any Bachelor of Arts who shall comply with the conditions of the Post Graduate Course, to which particular attention is called.

### IV. BACHELOR OF LAWS.

This degree will be conferred on those who have finished the prescribed course in the College of Law.

### HONORARY DEGREES.

This Institution will occasionally confer the degrees of A. M. and L.L. D. upon persons who, to a fair scholarship, join a high character for energy and worth.

The above degrees will be conferred by the Board of Directors upon the recommendation of the Faculty of the College to which the candidate belongs. A fee of ten dollars must accompany the application for the degree, which will be returned if the degree be not conferred.

### DIPLOMAS.

When a degree has been conferred a diploma will be presented without further charge. Diplomas will also be granted upon satisfactory completion of the course in the Commercial Department.



## TERMS OF COLLEGE YEAR 1875-6.

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The College year or session is divided into three terms, as follows:

First Term, beginning on Wednesday, the 15th day of September, which will give fourteen weeks before Christmas.

Second of twelve weeks, beginning the 3d of January, and ending on Friday, March 25th.

Third of eleven weeks, beginning on Monday of the week following the close of the preceding term, and ending June 10th.

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## VACATIONS.

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Vacation of one week will be given at the close of the first term.

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## EXPENSES.

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The fees in the Institution are fixed as follows:

For tuition in College proper and Preparatory Department—

Per Session in scrip . . . . .	\$42 00
Per Term in scrip . . . . .	14 00

### MATRICULATION FEES.

Per Session in cash . . . . .	5 00
Per Term in cash . . . . .	2 00
Janitor's Fees per Term . . . . .	2 00
Graduation Fee . . . . .	5 00



SCRIP.

Those students who have not scrip can generally obtain it of the Secretary by paying four dollars in cash for fourteen in scrip.

The following will approximate very closely the

NECESSARY EXPENSES.

Per Session, tuition (scrip at 30 per cent.)	. . . \$ 12 00
Per Session, Janitor's fees	. . . 12 00
Per Session, boarding at \$4 50 per week	. . . 175 50
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Total for one College year, exclusive of books . \$199 50

Other expenses, as clothing, etc., are different for different students, but from the above any student may approximate the annual necessary outlay.

Many students board themselves at \$2 00 per week. This would reduce the above almost one-half.

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FREE TUITION.

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Tuition fees in this Institution are payable in Interest Scrip, which is issued to and belongs to stockholders. Stockholders having a supply of this scrip, offer to furnish it gratuitously to worthy students, who, in good faith, propose to devote themselves to the work of the Christian ministry, and need help to enable them to complete their studies for that purpose. Such students may rely upon being furnished with scrip to pay their tuition fees.



TO THE ALUMNI OF THE  
NORTH WESTERN CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY  
AND THEIR RELATIVES AND FRIENDS.

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It is desirable to preserve biographical statistics of each graduate of the University for future use. Information as to any of the items following, we would be glad to receive, addressed to the Secretary:

1. Names of graduates and parents.
2. Date, month and year, and place of birth.
3. Facts of early life and education.
4. Date of admission to College, and class entered.
5. Particulars of professions studied, degrees, etc., etc.
6. Any offices, titles, honors of after life.
7. Marriage, facts of subsequent history, and time, place and circumstances of decease.



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## DEMIA BUTLER CHAIR.

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MISS CATHARINE MERRILL, PROFESSOR.

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It will be seen by inspecting the courses of study, that a Chair has been added, called the "Demia Butler Chair of English Literature," in honor of DEMIA BUTLER, now deceased, the first female graduate in the full Classical Course of the Institution. This Chair has been endowed by her father, OVID BUTLER, Esq., of this city, to be perpetually filled by a female Professor. The Board have been fortunate in securing the services of Miss CATHARINE MERRILL for the Chair, a thorough teacher, of large experience, and under whose care the friends and patrons of the University may safely place their daughters, and to whom, without reserve, they may entrust their moral and educational wants and interests. This Department has been in successful operation five years, and the prospects for the future are now better than at any previous period.

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## THE JEREMY H. ANDERSON CHAIR.

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PROFESSOR JOHN O. HOPKINS.

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JEREMY H. ANDERSON. Esq., of Missouri, has made provision to endow the Chair of the Greek Language and Literature, which the Board have named in honor of him. Prof. JOHN O. HOPKINS, a graduate of Kentucky University, has been elected to this Chair, which he has satisfactorily and efficiently filled during the past three years.



## ANNUAL ANNOUNCEMENT FOR 1875-6.

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The year 1875-6 will inaugurate a new era in the history of this Institution.

### NEW LOCATION.

A donation of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (to be paid in five equal annual installments) and of a beautiful new Campus of twenty-five acres were generously offered by the enterprising citizens of Irvington, on condition that the money should be expended, by the time of the last payment, in constructing suitable buildings for a first class Institution of learning, and that the Campus donated should be used as the location of such Institution. The Campus is situated in a natural grove of forest trees, adjoining Irvington on the west, and between the Central and Junction railroads.

The grounds are high and command a beautiful view of the surrounding country for miles, embracing the handsome villas, winding streets and tastefully laid out grounds of the beautiful suburb which it adjoins. The pure air, good water and elevated location, with almost perfect drainage, warrant the expectation that the new situation of the University will be eminently healthful.

### THE NEW BUILDING.

Accepting the above named offer, the Board at once appointed a Building Committee, under instructions to proceed as rapidly as the payment of the proposed donation would justify, and erect a building suitable to the wants and purposes of the Insti-



tution. Under their instructions, the Committee commenced laying the foundation in the fall of 1874, and the building will be ready for occupancy, and the school will be opened in it on the 15th of September next.

The building is of brick, with stone foundation and trimmings, is 75x135 feet, two stories and a basement, and will conveniently accommodate five hundred students. It has been built and finished, not so much with reference to costly architecture and display in style, as with reference to the exact wants of the teacher and the class. It will be heated throughout with steam—will have hot and cold water, and all the modern conveniences. On the basement floor are located the Secretary's office, the Board room, Janitor's room, four large Cabinet and Laboratory rooms, two Recitation or Lecture rooms, a fine Library, and a Reading room. On the second floor are twelve large Recitation rooms, and adjoining each a private room for the professor. On the third floor is the Chapel, 42x60 feet in clear, with a gallery, lighted in full on both sides, and finished and furnished in the best of taste for the wants of an institution of learning, and will comfortably seat five hundred students. Also on this floor are four Society Halls, for the four literary societies already organized. There are also on each floor from two to three large hat and cloak rooms for both ladies and gentlemen. There are two halls running through the building, giving four doors for entrance and exit, and one transverse hall connecting these two. There are four stairways to ascend and descend, these landing in the main and connecting halls above and below, so that a very large number of students can pass from room to room, or from floor to floor with perfect ease and convenience. The floors and walls are all "deadened"—blackboards are built in the walls of all rooms needing them—the chemical laboratory will be furnished with a hundred or more gas jets—gas will also be taken through the entire building—the most approved method of ventilation in both floors and halls through flues has been introduced, besides the windows, with which every room has a plentiful supply, and in a word, the most careful attention has been given throughout, to make the building one of the most



complete and perfect college buildings anywhere to be found. And the Board believe they have accomplished this; such at least is the opinion of those competent to judge, who have visited and inspected the building.

Other buildings will also be erected from time to time as the wants of the school may require.

### IRVINGTON.

This suburb, embracing within its corporation about one square mile, enjoys an elevated and undulating site, about four miles east of Indianapolis, on the National Road, and on the P. C. and St. L., and C. H. and I. railroads.

The streets have been laid out, of generous width—usually winding—and the ground subdivided into lots usually from one to three acres, and, so far, adorned with a number of handsome and costly private residences.

A beautiful school building, costing thirty thousand dollars, has been erected, and several churches are building or in contemplation. For the accommodation of the citizens and University students, a street railway has been built, connecting the suburb with the city. This, with omnibus lines and the regular (and doubtless special, if necessary) trains of the two railroads, will furnish rapid and cheap transportation to and from the city. Four boarding houses, already built, with the resources of private boarding, will furnish homes for those students who prefer living at Irvington.

### RESOURCES.

By the sale of a part of the old Campus, the endowment fund now amounts to two hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars. The ground yet unsold will realize one hundred and fifty to two hundred thousand additional, which will bring the available endowment to near a half million. Much of this is loaned at six per cent. In a few years a higher rate of interest may be expected to enlarge the present annual income. The old building, with a few acres, have been reserved, and will probably be used for the reception of Law and Medical Colleges, adjunct to the



University, but the arrangements for these schools have not been made in time for announcement in the present Catalogue.

The N. W. C. University may therefore be considered as possessing, in endowment and property, near seven hundred thousand dollars. The Board, with a spirit of enterprise which augurs well for the future, have determined to make this only a basis whereon to make additions for the endowment of additional chairs, so that students shall not be compelled to leave the beautiful Capital of our State in order to obtain a complete education—such as shall fit its possessor for creditable entrance upon any honorable vocation in life.

### REORGANIZATION.

Until a full command has been obtained of the resources of the University, it will be impossible to effect more than a partial reorganization of the corps of instructors.

Preparatory to the freedom necessary for selecting a Faculty for 1875-6, the Chairs were, at the last meeting of the Board, declared vacant. The following changes were made :

Prof. David S. Jordan, a graduate of Cornell, and an honored pupil of Agassiz, will take charge of Natural History and related branches, and will also have charge of the Cabinets and their enlargement.

Prof. F. W. Achilles, a gentleman of thorough training in the schools of North Germany, and eleven years a resident of France, will have charge of the German and French Languages. He will, for the present at least, have charge of Chemistry, for which chair he comes well recommended.

Prof. Hoshour will lecture on a Bible topic, which will give opportunity for presenting the treasures accumulated during a lifetime of Bible research.

We shall be glad to welcome back to his old place in the Chair of Latin, Prof. Scot Butler, who for two years has been adding to his knowledge of his chosen branch in the University towns of Germany.



It is not yet certain whether Prof. A. G. Thomas will remain or leave us. Whether he go or stay, his co-laborers and his students will keep green the memory of his genial and gentlemanly bearing and his accurate and painstaking scholarship.

Prof. A. Fairhurst tendered a resignation of the Chair of Natural Science, which the Board accepted. Since his connection with the University, his candor, frankness, fair dealing with all, his ability and eloquence in lecture and pulpit ministration, his industry and research as student and instructor, have won a host of friends whose good wishes he will carry with him whithersoever he goes.

### THE PROSPECTS OF THE NEAR FUTURE.

At an early period the change of endowment fund to a higher rate of interest, and the sale of property will certainly add largely to the income.

An organized effort will be made to endow special chairs, thus adding to the strength of the Faculty, without drawing on the existing resources. Special departments, or schools, for giving advanced instruction to those having professional objects in view, will be organized.

We hope to see in operation within a very few years a fully organized School of Civil and Mining Engineering, one of Practical Astronomy, with an observatory equipped with the requisite instruments.

With our present and prospective resources, we do not regard the realization of these prospects as visionary, but believe that ordinary enterprise on the part of the friends of the University will secure their accomplishment at an early date. The Board of Directors at their last meeting clearly expressed their determination to stop at no point short of an University—an Institution which, in the ability and scientific acquirements of its Faculty, and in the material aids to instruction, shall compare favorably with the best in our country—an Institution in which a pure Christian culture shall go hand in hand with the best scientific training which the improved methods and profound research of the present age can furnish.



Toward the attainment of this result let us, putting our trust in God, work.

Let the friends of the Institution lend a helping hand everywhere to fill to overflowing the halls of the new building.

We ask for no more intelligent and earnest and law-abiding students than we had during the last year.

But let their number be increased tenfold.

#### TO REACH IRVINGTON.

Students coming from the east on either the Junction or Central Railroad, can take a train that *stops* at Irvington. Students coming on any other road will come to Indianapolis—but without leaving Union Depot, can take either of the above roads to Irvington, a distance of only four miles.



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AN ORDINANCE  
FOR THE  
GOVERNMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY.  

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OF STUDENTS.

SECTION 19. Students of either sex, of good moral character and habits, shall be entitled to admission into the University. Every candidate for admission as a student, must pay the Treasurer of the Institution the tuition fees in advance, for not less than one term. Each student of the age of fourteen years or upwards, when he or she applies for admission as a student, shall procure and read a copy of the By-Laws pertaining to the duties of students, and shall then sign his or her name in a book to be kept for that purpose by the Secretary of the Faculty, stating his or her age and place of nativity, and the name of his or her parent or guardian, under a caption, in the following words: "Having carefully read the By-Laws pertaining to the duties of the students of the North Western Christian University, I do hereby subscribe myself student thereof; and I do hereby solemnly promise that, during my connection with it, I will faithfully observe and obey its laws, rules and regulations."

SECTION 20. To remain a student in connection with the University, every student is requested to observe the following regulations:

I. Immediately after matriculation, the student shall select from the different schools, with the advice and consent of the Faculty, an amount of study equal to three daily recitations.



2. That the student be diligent in study, and punctual in his attendance upon recitations, examinations and other college exercises.

3. That having entered any College Class, the student shall not leave it without the permission of the Faculty.

4. That the student neither introduce nor use upon the premises of the University any intoxicating beverages.

5. That the student do not bring nor use upon said premises any firearms, dirk, bowie-knife, or any other kind of deadly weapon.

6. That the student abstain from profanity, the desecration of the Lord's day, all kinds of gaming, even for amusement, and whatever is inconsistent with good order, good taste, and good morals.

7. That the student attend public worship at least once every Lord's day.

8. That the student be strictly moral in language and conduct, respectful to the officers of the institution, and courteous and kind to all the students of the University.

9. That the student carefully observe all the rules and regulations contained in any part of this Ordinance, respecting fees, societies, and University grounds and buildings.

The marriage of any student, during term time, shall, in the discretion of the Faculty, be regarded as sufficient reason for the disconnection of such student from the Institution for the remainder of the term.

## OF DISCIPLINE.

SECTION 22. The discipline of the University is confined to the Faculty, under the provisions herein contained. As far as practicable, it shall be parental, and all severe and disgraceful punishment shall be avoided, and appeals addressed to the reason and conscience. But to maintain good order, and to secure the very important objects for which the Institution was founded,



the Faculty may inflict, at their discretion, according to the character of the offense, any of the following penalties:

1. Private admonition.
2. Public admonition.
3. Suspension for a time, at the discretion of the Faculty.
4. Expulsion.

No student shall be publicly suspended or expelled without an opportunity of being fully heard in his or her own defense; and in all cases of expulsion, the party expelled may appeal to the Board within thirty days, in which case the action of the Faculty shall not be final, till confirmed by the Board of Directors or Business Committee, as soon as either can be called together.

But whenever the Faculty are satisfied that, owing to the habitual idleness, profanity, or any other cause, the presence of a student in the University is unfavorable to its prosperity and the welfare of other students, they may suspend him or her privately, or require the parent or guardian to remove such student immediately from the Institution. In all cases of suspension or expulsion the delinquent shall forfeit the tuition fee for the remainder of the term.

SECTION 23. The Faculty may, from time to time, make such prudential regulations pertaining to the social intercourse of the sexes as they may deem expedient.